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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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First Named Inventor	Herbert F. Cattell
Examiner	Betty J. Forman
Group Art	1634
Title	Chemical Array
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Sir:

This communication accompanies a Request for Continued Examination and is responsive to the Office Action dated June 11, 2003. A Notice of Appeal was filed on October 9, 2003, making this response due on or before December 9, 2003, in view of the accompanying one month extension of time, this response is timely filed.

In view of the remarks set forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.